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Mr. John W. May, Jr.
Executive Director
Civil Service Commission
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. May:

This is in reference to Mr. Young's letter of 18 February 1957 to the Heads of Departments and Independent Establishments, subject: "The Implementation of Hoover Commission Recommendations Number 1(a), 1(b), and 2 on Personnel and Civil Service" and our recent telephone conversation.

You will recall that I advised you in our conversation that the Director wished to defer publication of the policy statement we have prepared to carry out Recommendation Number 1(a) of the Hoover Commission Report pending certain discussions concerning the policy. We expect these consultations to be completed shortly, after which we will immediately promulgate the statement and send you two copies of it.

With regard to Recommendation Number 2, the positions of the Director and Deputy Director of Central Intelligence are the only two positions in the Agency which are filled by Presidential appointment, and we will not request that any other positions be included in the narrower executive group.

Sincerely,

L. E. White
Deputy Director

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